

Mr. Sargent, Commissioner of Customs, will leave Washington next week for the frontier, to carry into effect the new regulations to prevent smuggling. These, he says in his circular, have been made necessary by the extent to which the revenue laws have been evaded, and the very lax manner in which they have been enforced. The examination of travelers' baggage will be rigorously performed; but in the examination, the officers of customs will be careful not to prevent smuggling. These regulations are to be put into effect by the officers of customs, and upon which duties have not been paid. The examination must, however, be sufficient to ascertain whether certain articles which they contain such goods, including lace and jewelry, or not.

Baggage passing from the United States will be examined by a proper officer and sealed up, in order to prevent its being disturbed while in transit.

The regulations, amongst other things, require that in clothing and wearing apparel, boxes, trunks, suitcases, or other envelopes, of any kind, the proper officers, in order to guard against false bottoms, movable hinges, and other fraudulent contrivances, will take care to examine the same, and to seal up the same with additional seals which they cannot be opened, nor any part of the contents taken from them, without removing, breaking, or cutting such seals, and without the presence of the proper officers. Seals are to be used for sailing vessels, steamers, boats, cars, and other vehicles engaged in trade between the United States and other countries.

Traveling bags, boxes, and everything containing articles of wearing apparel or other personal effects, or purporting to do so, must be opened by the proper officer of the customs, and the contents examined. The officer who shall remove the seals from the car containing such baggage. No trunk, traveling bag, valise, or other envelope is to be delivered or carried until the proper officer has examined the baggage among which may be found secret articles liable to duty upon which the duties have not been paid, must be seized and retained.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER OFFICES IN TROUBLE.—The composers in the Times, Tribune, News, Transcript and other papers, have been in a state of trouble for some time past. It seems the Times office deeming the demand of the Printers' Union for sixty cents per 1,000 ems, excessive, sent an advertisement to the other newspapers, asking them to join in a strike. As soon as it was known that such an advertisement had been received, the composers in the other papers, who were not in sympathy with the strike, notified the editors in charge that they would not help to set up their respective papers until they were promised that the strike would be ended. The answer in each case, of course, was that the composers, while they had no doubt right to fix the price at which they would work, had exceeded their prerogatives in saying what advertisements should or should not go into the paper. If that privilege was accorded them they would be both editors and publishers of their respective journals. The Times finally consented to the withdrawal of its advertisement, and the other papers are holding out, and their columns will have a slim appearance, it is expected, in getting out at all. We cannot say whether the strike will end or not, but we are sure that the printers of every member of the Printers' Union who sanctioned it, out of employment, so far as this city is concerned. N. Y. World.

The papers referred to, the World all appeared as usual on Saturday morning, but somewhat shorn of their usual quantity of reading matter.

OFFICIAL.

Office of Provost Marshal and Board of Enrollment of District of Columbia, Washington, D. C., June 21, 1864.

For convenience of Government employees only, the Board of Enrollment of the District of Columbia will hear cases of exemption on grounds of age, physical disability, or other cause, at their office, at the corner of Eighteenth and I streets, from 7 1/2 to 10 o'clock, daily.

J. O. PUTNAM, Captain First Regiment V. R. C.

and Provost Marshal of D. C.

Headquarters Provost Marshal and Board of Enrollment of District of Columbia, Washington, D. C., June 21, 1864.

The Board of Enrollment of the District of Columbia will be in session at the office of the Provost Marshal District of Columbia, corner of Fourteenth street and New York avenue, from 7 1/2 to 10 o'clock, daily.

J. O. PUTNAM, Captain First Regiment V. R. C.

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War Department, Adjutant General's Office, Washington, March 17, 1864.

All applications for leaves of absence or permission to visit Washington must be addressed to the Adjutant General, and must specify the business for which the officer desires the permission. Telegrams addressed direct to the Secretary of War on this subject will not be received.

By order of the Secretary of War:

E. D. TOWNSEND, Assistant Adjutant General.

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ORPHANS' COURT, JULY 17th, 1864.—Dis-

trict of Columbia, Washington County, Trust in the estate of Andrew Foote, deceased, the Admin-

istratrix aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court, appointed Saturday, the 13th day of August next, for the final settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said deceased, and all claims against said estate, and all claims by said estate, as far as the same have been collected and turned into money; when and where all the creditors and claimants of said estate are to attend, at the Orphans' Court of Washington County (aforesaid), with their claims properly vouched, and set out by affidavit, to be excluded from all benefit in said deceased's estate, except from the benefit of this order, published one week for three weeks in the Evening Star, previous to the said 13th day of August, 1864.

Test: JY 21-1864 Z. C. ROBBINS, Register of Wills.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the sub-

scriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington County, in the District of Colum-

bia, a decree, in the estate of John H. Hays, deceased, on the personal estate of said deceased, and all claims against said estate, and all claims by said estate, as far as the same have been collected and turned into money; when and where all the creditors and claimants of said estate are to attend, at the Orphans' Court of Washington County (aforesaid), with their claims properly vouched, and set out by affidavit, to be excluded from all benefit in said deceased's estate, except from the benefit of this order, published one week for three weeks in the Evening Star, previous to the said 13th day of August, 1864.

Test: JY 21-1864 W. H. LANGLEY.

DIANOS.—We have received this day, 4 Pianos

Brothers, also, several Melodions, and have

offer for sale at the lowest factory prices

several second hand Pianos upon easy

terms.

As Pianos are advancing in price, we advise

each of our customers to purchase early, and

examine our assortment. W. G. KETTER, 129

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